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6101.1 Scope of rules; definitions; construction; rulings, orders, and directions; panels; location and address [Rule 1].

(a) Scope. The rules of this chapter govern proceedings in all cases filed with the Board on or after January 6, 2007, and all further proceedings in cases then pending, except to the extent that, in the opinion of the Board, their use in a particular case pending on the effective date would be infeasible or would work an injustice. The Board will look to the rules of this chapter for guidance in conducting other proceedings authorized by law.

(b) Definitions—(1) Appeal; appellant. The term "appeal" means a contract dispute filed with the Board. The term "appellant" means a party filing an appeal.

(2) Application; applicant. The term "application" means a submission to the Board of a request for award of fees and other expenses, under the Equal Access to Justice Act, 5 U.S.C. 504, pursuant to 6101.30 (Rule 30). The term "applicant" means a party filing an application.

(3) Board judge; judge. The term "Board judge" or "judge" means a member of the Board.

(4) Case. The term "case" means an appeal, petition, or application.

(5) Filing. (i) Any document, other than a notice of appeal or an application for award of fees and other expenses, is filed when it is received by the Office of the Clerk of the Board during the Board's working hours. A notice of appeal or an application for award of fees and other expenses is filed upon the earlier of its receipt by the Office of the Clerk of the Board or if mailed, the date on which it is mailed to the Board. A United States Postal Service postmark shall be prima facie evidence that the document with